

Amendment of Specification:

At page 12, please amend the second paragraph, as follows:

These Examples demonstrate that use of alcohol as a granulating liquid, for example absolute ethanol or aqueous ethanol, does not cause the precrystallization (conversion into another polymorph form) of pravastatin sodium in the absence of other ingredients. However, granulation with a granulating liquid comprising a binder (PVP) does in some experiments induce a partial conversion as summarized in Table 1. (~~You need to add an explanation here or later of what is special about the conditions under which PVP does, or does not, induce precrystallization~~)